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SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT OF MONTANA

STATE OF MONTANA,) Cause No. DC-08-025
Plaintiff,) Ravalli County District Court
-VS-) Montana Twenty-First Judicial District
LESLIE VINCENT JESSOP, a.k.a. LESLEE ROSALEE BLOODSTONE,	DECISION
Defendant.))

On May 25, 2021, the Court found the Defendant in violation of the terms and conditions of the sentenced imposed on October 6, 2008, revoked the suspended sentence, and sentenced the Defendant to a commitment to the Montana Department of Corrections for a period of ten (10) years, with five (5) years suspended, for the offense of Count I: Sexual Intercourse Without Consent, a Felony, in violation of § 45-5-503(1)(3), MCA.

The Court recommended the Defendant be screened for all appropriate non-prison placements, specifically pre-release, and screened for all applicable drug or substance abuse treatment and mental health programs. The Defendant was granted street time credit in the amount of 741 days.

On May 5, 2022, the Defendant's Application for review of that sentence came on for hearing by Zoom videoconference before the Sentence Review Division of the Montana Supreme Court (hereafter "the Division"). The Defendant appeared from the Montana State Prison and was represented by Melanie D'Isidoro, Defense Counsel. The State was represented by Bill Fulbright. Hon. Jennifer Lint was present and provided a statement. The Defendant gave a statement.

Before hearing the Application, the Defendant was advised that the Division has the authority not only to reduce the sentence or affirm it, but also increase it. The Defendant was further advised that there is no appeal from a decision of the Division. The Defendant acknowledged that she understood this and stated that she wished to proceed.

Rule 12, Rules of the Sentence Review Division of the Supreme Court of Montana, provides that, "The sentence imposed by the District Court is presumed correct. The sentence shall not be reduced or increased unless it is clearly inadequate or clearly excessive." (Section 46-18-904(3), MCA).

The Division finds that the reasons advanced for modification are insufficient to hold that the sentence imposed by the District Court is clearly inadequate or clearly excessive.

Therefore, it is the unanimous decision of the Division that the sentence is AFFIRMED.

DATED this 17th day of May, 2022.

SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION

Hon. Jessica Fehr, Chair

Hon. Don Wilson, Member

Mon. Luke Berger, Member

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